23rd September 1955]

பாக்கிப் பணமும் மில் சொந்தக்காரரிடமிருந்து வசூலிக்கப்பட்டுவிட்டது முதலாளியும் 'பிராசிக்யூட்' செய்யப்பட்டு, 'கன்விகட்' செய்யப்பட்டு. அபராதத் தொகையும் வசூலிக்கப்பட்டுவிட்டது. அதற்கு மேலே ஒன்றும் அதிகமாக கவலைப்படுவதற்கில்லை என்று நான் அங்கத்தினருக்குத் தெரிவித்துக்கொள்கிறேன்.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : Next question.

(Several Members stood up to put supplementary questions on the previous question.)

DEPUTY SPEAKER : Members who want to put supplementary questions should rise up immediately after the conclusion of the reading of the answer.

Sri P. RANGASWAMI REDDIAR : We find that the seating arrangement and hearing aid are now changed and we have to lean back to hear the answer of the Minister. I stood up to put a supplementary question, but by then the next question was called.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : I noticed very clearly that the hon. Member was speaking to some Member by his side.

Prohibition of sale of ice-fruits, etc.

*2406 *Q.*—Sri P. RANGASWAMI REDDIAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Health be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government recently issued orders prohibiting the sale of ice-fruit and other allied preparations in the streets and other public places; and

(*b*) if so, why?

The Hon. Sri A. B. SHETTY : (*a*) & (*b*) The Government have instructed the executive authorities of municipal councils to take action to prohibit by public notice or licence or regulate, the sale or exposure for sale of ice-creams, ice-salads, etc., on any public street or part thereof in the interest of the health of the public.

(Starred questions Nos. 2407 to 2411 taken up together.)

Complaints against the Commercial Tax Officer, South Malabar.

* 2407 *Q.*—Sri K. C. GOPALAN UNNI : Will the Hon. the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state— 9-10 a.m.

(*a*) whether it is a fact that certain dealers in Palghat, Malabar, were not allowed to present their appeals to the Commercial Tax Officer, South Malabar, through their advocates; and

(*b*) if so, the reason therefor?

The Hon. Sri M. A. MANICKAVELU : (*a*) & (*b*) Allegations have been made that some dealers in Palghat were not allowed to present their appeals to the Commercial Tax Officer, South Malabar, through their advocates. The matter is engaging the attention of the Government.